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## GORMAN'S GRAND DEPOT

### Forest City.

Miss Jennie Lowry, of Scranton, is the guest of Miss Celia Higgins.

Rev. A. Reynolds, of Waverly, Pa., will preach both morning and evening in the Baptist church in this place tomorrow.

Harry Johnson, of Old Forge, was the guest of his old time friend, John F. Gallagher, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Benjamin Maxey and son, George, spent yesterday in Scranton.

Work on the Carbondale and Forest City Traction company is progressing rapidly.

J. C. Howard, of Deposit, N. Y., formerly employed in Conrad's cigar manufactory, has returned to this borough to take charge of the cigar manufactory owned by M. Krantz.

Samuel J. Jennings will spend Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Edward Pentecost, of Prompton.

Workmen were digging the holes yesterday for the erection of the poles in the borough of the Long Distance Telephone company of Scranton, which intends having a telephone station in this place.

Twice has Forest City been visited by a fire this week. The second fire occurred Thursday at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The house that was on fire is situated on Hudson street and is the property of Mr. Rounde, of Uniondale.

It was tenanted by William Llewellyn and Nat Lee. The two fire companies responded quickly and the Enterprise company soon had a stream on the burning building. The Hillside company could not secure a water plug as the other plugs were a considerable way. The firemen soon had the flames under control. The fire started on the roof and it is thought became ignited from a spark from the small locomotive. The roof and upper story are destroyed.

Flames have also been raging in the woods below this place, and yesterday were getting very near the Erie saw-mill, two miles from here. Men were sent to the mill to fight the fire. It is thought the mill is saved.

**Pittston.**

The school board held a special meeting last evening to consider the charges preferred by M. W. Donnelly. The matter was referred to a committee consisting of Messrs. Brennan, Hines and Abbott.

Florence Coal company had to suspend operations yesterday for want of water on account of dryness of weather.

A very large house greeted Owen D. Jones at Music Hall in "Richard III."

The crooks captured on Thursday evening are still in custody and will be kept for several days here, pending further inquiries concerning their movements.

**Criticizing a Young Lady.**

"She would be a pretty girl for but one thing."

George—Her face is always covered with purple and red blotches.

Charles—Oh, that's easily enough disposed of. Used to be the same way myself, but I caught on to the trouble one day, and got rid of it in no time.

George—What was it?

Charles—Simply blood eruptions. Took a short course of P. P. P. I tell you, it's the best blood corrector. The governor had rheumatism so bad that you could hear him holler clear across the country every time he moved. He tried it, and you know what an athlete old cent he is now. Somebody would give Miss Daisy a bottle of the would thank them after she had the drug stores sell it.

### Archbald.

During the past two weeks this town has been brought into undesirable prominence on account of the disgraceful orgies that have taken place on the outskirts of the borough. Beginning with the revolting spectacle on the east side and ending with the affray at the ridge on Monday, the reputable people here have been obliged to bear more than their share of odium on account of the misdeeds of others who have little in common with them. It would be a consolation to say that our police officers had done their full duty in trying to prevent these outbreaks. It seems to be known to everyone, except our officers, that the license laws have been openly and shamefully violated. Nearly every case reported here by the newspapers within the past two weeks can be traced to these unlicensed places. Decency demands that these vile places be wiped out. It is not in this respect alone that our constables are derelict. It is alleged that the affray at the Ridge on Monday was caused by the attempt of a constable from the Ridge to "kick" a party of illicit drinkers, and falling in his effort, picked up a quarrel with them. If this should be true, the officer should be relieved from duty at once.

Maggie, the wife of John Blake, of Hill street, who has been ill for some time, died yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. She is survived by her husband and five children. Mrs. Blake was the sister of John M. and William Dougherty, and Mrs. Stephen Barrett, of Archbald, and Miss Bessie Dougherty, of Philadelphia. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Interment will take place in Archbald Catholic cemetery.

Work at the Jones, Simpson & Co.'s mines will be suspended till Tuesday. Miss Bessie Maher, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Martin Gibbons, of Dunmore, visited friends in town yesterday.

The marriage of Mr. Frederick Swartztrauber to Miss Minnie Saur will take place next Wednesday evening.

### Dalton.

Miss Jennie Parkton is visiting relatives in New York city.

Miss Elida Schoonover has returned to her home at this place after spending a few weeks at Binghamton.

The Dalton Base Ball club last Saturday went to Tunkhannock and were defeated by a score of 25 to 15, and last Wednesday they again met defeat by a club of former boys from Benton, called the "Mud Pond Peppers," the score being 7 to 3.

Miss Hattie Fisher, of Pottsville, returned to her home at that place last Wednesday after spending a few weeks with her niece, Mrs. A. G. Ives, of this place.

Miss Mattie Shortman, of this place, and Charles Colvin, of L. Grange, Pa., were married at Binghamton one day last week.

Miss Minnie Wademan entertained Miss Lydia Wood, of Carbondale, last week.

The Dalton Cornet band was at a picnic at Lake Manastake last Thursday.

Mrs. M. B. Sherman and daughters, Minnie and Lena, are visiting friends at Elmira, N. Y.

Miss Carrie Stoll entertained a number of her friends at her home last Friday afternoon. Among those present were Misses Ella Jennings, Mabel Parry, May Schoonover, Sallie Wehr and Mrs. W. C. Parry.

Harry Simon and Charles Warner, of Scranton, were visiting here Thursday.

Mrs. Jane Bailey is spending a few weeks at Carbondale, Lake Ariel and other places out of town.

Rev. C. L. Tiffany, of Drew Theological seminary, will preach at the Methodist Episcopal church next Sunday.

Miss Nellie Carlton spent a few days with her friends last week.

Mrs. William Aylesworth, of Wallisville, was visiting at this place one day last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Moll Smith a daughter.

Miss Nellie Burns and Miss Katie Ryan are visiting at Binghamton.

### Electric Bitters.

This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise. A purer medicine does not exist and it is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove Pimples, Boils, Salt Rheum, and other affections caused by impure blood. Will drive malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Malarial fevers. For cure of Headache, Constipation and Indigestion try Electric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1 per bottle at Matthews Bros. Drug store.

### Mayfield.

William Walker was in Scranton Friday evening.

Frank Finn, of Clifford, visited H. J. DeGraw yesterday.

Mrs. W. J. Dergan was in Carbondale Friday afternoon.

H. G. D. Graw was a Scranton visitor yesterday.

P. F. Kikler, of Poplar street, is in Scranton today.

William Ingels, of Scranton office of the Hillside Coal and Iron company, passed through here last evening on his way to Forest City.

Frank Andrews, of Windsor, N. Y., listened to the sermon at the Delaware and Hudson station yesterday.

George S. Dunn, agent of the Ontario and Western at Jermyn station, is on the sick list. George Dyer is hauling the "truck" while Mr. Dunn is absent.

Miss Mamie Borgan is at Lake Ariel spending her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Williams are on their way to England and Wales, where they expect to stay for two or three months.

Price Davis is spending today at Herick Center.

The Hillside Coal and Iron company is drilling for coal on the mountain west of our borough.

### Taylor.

J. F. Taylor was in Green Ridge yesterday.

John Coombs has returned from a visit to New York city.

Dan Jones has resigned his position as drug clerk in Davis' drug store.

The choir of the Methodist Episcopal church is rehearsing the cantata, "Jephtha."

The morning the Loyal Knights of America will run an excursion to Delaware Water Gap. Taylor band and the lodge paraded the streets last night advertising today's event. The band will accompany the excursion.

The reception committee of the Price Library will meet on Monday night to prepare and arrange for a grand entertainment on Oct. 24, in Weber's rink.

J. B. Daniels and wife are home from Atlantic City.

The Republican League club, through some misunderstanding, did not meet on Thursday night. The club will

### meet on Monday night at Price Library hall.

Mrs. W. J. D. Thomas is home from a visit to the beach.

Edward Timlin, of Buffalo, N. Y., spent yesterday with his brother, George L. Timlin.

Professor T. J. Davis, Mrs. Bae, of Scranton, and Miss Verna Mitchell, also of Scranton, will sing Sunday night in the Methodist Episcopal church.

### Carbondale.

Today will occur one of the finest excursions that has ever left this city. It will be conducted by the George E. Lawrence, No. 408, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The committee have arranged with Messrs. Edwards and Anderson to make the claims, and as they have a wide reputation in this all they may expect a great turnout. The engineers will spare no pains to make the excursion a pleasure. The Germania band and orchestra will furnish music.

Mr. and Mrs. James McMillan left this morning for an extended trip. Their first visit will be to Old Point Comfort, where they will remain a week. They will visit, in addition, D. C. and other points of interest.

Last night the Venus Social club gave its first series of monthly socials in their rooms in the Opera house block. A number of invited guests were in attendance.

Mrs. David Case, and daughter, Jessie, was visiting friends in Waymart yesterday.

The number of visitors at Farview this year, so far, has outnumbered those of any previous year by 30,000.

The concert this evening by the Mozart band will be of special interest. The specialty of the evening will be the "Humors of Donnybrook." This is the programme: "Star Spangled Banner," march, "The Liberty Bell," by Sousa; serenade, "Song of Love," Lauretti; overture, "L'Elegance," Petter; selection, "Ethiopian Carnival," Lauretti; selection, "Echoes of Minstrelsy," Hosford; waltz, "Crimson," Dalby; Irish overture, "The Humors of Donnybrook," Carl Volt; march, "Naval Reserve," Arbogast; "America."

The Delaware and Hudson railroad is making improvements around the Union station, and will soon have a great accommodation to picnic parties as well as to the traveling public. The river which ran so near the station and tracks has been planned over and the old building removed which adds greatly to the looks of the station. The company is taking pride in improving their property and no finer place can be found in town than the lawn near the Gravity Main street station.

Roy Chase left this morning for Lanesboro where he will spend two weeks with relatives.

### Old Forge.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Addison was interred in Marcy cemetery on Friday afternoon.

Miss Mamie Serfass, of Scranton, was visiting relatives in town this week.

Robert Robinson and Anna Playforth were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday by Samuel Broadhead, Jr., J. P.

The Sunday school of the new Methodist Episcopal church held its annual picnic on Wednesday.

George Jackson, who was hurt by a fall of roof some time ago, died on Wednesday and was buried on Friday at the Catholic cemetery in Minooka.

Richard Howard was called to Philadelphia this week to attend the funeral of a relative.

Tax collector George Kehr will be at Drake & Stewart's store on Tuesday from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. to receive taxes.

Miss Ida Hiecher, of West Pittston, is the guest of Miss Jennie Drake.

Harry Russell, Jr., of Old Forge, and Mary Williams were married in the Stewart Memorial church on Wednesday evening, by Rev. Cochran, pastor of the church.

William Faraday was quite seriously injured by a fall of roof in the Old Forge shaft on Thursday.

Mrs. R. Willis Rees, of Rindham, was the guest of Mrs. John Willis on Friday.

Will Rees has returned from an extensive visit with friends in New York state.

### Dyspepsia and Indigestion.

In their worst forms are cured by the use of P. P. P. If you are debilitated and run down, or if you need a tonic to regain flesh and lost appetite, strength and vigor, take P. P. P., and you will be strong and healthy. For shattered constitutions and lost manhood P. P. P. (Prickly Ash, Poke Root and Potassium) is the king of all medicines. P. P. P. is the greatest stomach purifier in the world. For sale by all druggists.

### Avoca.

The festival of St. Mary's congregation was well attended. It was a success both socially and financially.

The water company has a large force of men at work on South Main street, digging a ditch preparatory to extending their main pipe. They will also extend their water pipes up to Lincoln hill.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson, of North Main street, a daughter.

John F. Gilheoley, foreman of Avoca Coal company, is in receipt of an invitation for Avoca House company to attend and participate in the Wilkes-Barre annual parade September 13.

Miss Annie Aikman spent yesterday with Mr. William White of Moosic.

The excursion to Farview yesterday, under the auspices of the Methodist Episcopal and Primitive Methodist churches of this place was a great success.

Miss McMillan, of Dunmore, is the guest of Miss Fannie Brown.

**That Tired Feeling**

So common at this season, is a serious condition, liable to lead to disastrous results. It is a sure sign of declining health tone, and that the blood is impoverished and impure. The best and most successful remedy is found in

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### Honesdale.

Miss Van Aiken of Port Jervis, is at the residence of E. H. Corright.

Mrs. N. A. Ray, of Pittsburg, and Miss A. Myron Simons, of Danbury, Conn., returned yesterday from a visit with Mrs. Fred Brown, at Carbondale.

Alam Metzger, Jr., returned home Thursday after making his first trip on the road for the Honesdale Shoe company.

Large new flagging is being laid in front of the buildings of the Wayne Independent and the Rail Spettigue block.

Entry blanks of the Maple City wheelmen have been printed, with the following prizes: One mile novice—first prize, gold medal, presented by the Wayne Independent; a large, handsome, solid gold medal; second prize, silver medal, presented to the Maple City wheelmen by Messrs. La Berr, Dietrich and Gartner; third prize, silver medal, presented by C. J. Weaver. One-half mile open—first prize, diamond, value \$25; second prize, cut glass dish, value \$10; third prize, watch, value \$5. One mile championship, Wayne county, first prize, gold medal, presented by Dr. C. R. Brady, J. T. Brady and O. T. Chambers; second prize, silver medal, presented by Messrs. Scanteller, E. Freeman, S. J. Kaiz and Reichenbaker. One mile open, first prize, diamond, value \$35; second prize, cut glass dish, value \$15; third prize, scarf pin, value \$5. One mile handicap, first prize, diamond, value \$25; second prize, cut glass dish, value \$15; third prize, medals, value \$5. All entries are to be made to Paul W. Gardner, Honesdale, Pa. Entry blanks upon application.

### Peckville.

Miss Bell Richards, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Brandage, has returned home.

A number of people will leave for York state to pick hops next week.

Miss Mamie Peck and her mother, from Scranton, called on friends in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Cora Jenkins is expected home today after a week's visit with relatives at Pittston.

Miss Beadie Powell, of Dunmore, is the guest of Miss Julia Kestell.

Mrs. T. C. Watras and children, of Pittston, are visiting her brother, William Day.

P. Soudier announces his name as a delegate to represent the First ward at the Republican county convention.

Mrs. W. S. Bloes returned last Wednesday evening after a visit of several weeks' duration with friends at Plymouth, Wilkes-Barre and other places.

Miss Julia Kestell, our popular milliner, is the owner of a copy of the Ulster County Gazette that was published on January 4, 1890 and was in mourning on account of the death of George Washington.

Miss May Starr and Daisy Womack, of Wausau, are visiting their cousin, Foreman E. E. Deacon at the powder mills.

Mrs. Charles Ducon, who has been indisposed for some time, is convalescent.

REMARKED BY R. C. Joiner, of Allen P. O., Hildale, Co., Mich.: "Nothing gave my rheumatism such quick relief as Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—believe it infallible for rheumatism."

### Priceburg.

Will Robert, Thomas Davidson, Charles Griffin, Michael Kane and Thomas Burgett, formed a party that left here yesterday for a week's encampment at Fleetville.

The Misses Ella Hart, Nellie Duggan and Laura Duggan, of Carbondale, called in town yesterday.

William Hawkins, of Dickinson state, is on the sick list.

Joe Gitzel and John McGowan have returned home from a visit to friends in Archbald.

Matthew McPherson made a business trip to Richmond yesterday.

A defective stove pipe caused a fire at the home of John Benton on Thursday last. The prompt arrival of the fire company soon had the flames under check and no serious damage resulted.

The Christian Mission will hold services at Smith's music hall on Sunday, J. Cooper, of Olyphant, will preach. Services to commence at 2:30 and 6 o'clock p. m.

### Wyoming.

W. H. S. O-maker and family left yesterday for Lake Carey for a period of two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Brasse are rejoicing since Thursday over a bouncing baby boy.

An open air meeting will be held in front of the old Methodist Episcopal church this evening. Mr. Evans, the nominee for Congress by the People and Prohibition parties, will address the people.

Henry Troxwell, who had his hand injured at the shovel works this week, is improving nicely.

William Switzer and Mrs. Isaac Howl will leave today to visit friends at Newton.

Mrs. Walter Parks, of Parsons, was the guest of Mrs. Martin on Friday.

Thomas Martin returned last evening from visiting his brother at Tunkhannock.

### Minooka.

Misses Cora and Mattie Edwards, in company with their brother Daniel, are visiting at Isaac Davis', in Greenwood, for a week. They are the children of Chief Edwards, of the Kingston fire department.

The old shaft of the Greenwood had to suspend work yesterday on account of a threatened cave-in of the roof all through the mines. Luckily no accidents have occurred.

During the progress of the configuration on Main street Thursday evening, while the body was over assisting in saving the building from the different neighbors who were threatened with the disaster, some person entered the house of Tom Murphy, on Back street, and stole a sum of money which had been secreted in a nook in the bedroom, amounting to \$365.

### Hallstead.

Richard Lown, of Saquehanna, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. C. W. Munson.

Mrs. Charles Currier, who has been stopping with friends in Elmira, has returned home.

P. J. Knowlin, of Pittston, is calling on friends in town.

Mrs. Maurice Moore, of Geneva, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Du Bois.

Frank Holton, of Peru, N. Y., is visiting friends in this place.

Simon Sawyer, of Candor, is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Hoover, on Burnside street.

BURROCK BLOOD BITTERS taken after eating will relieve the feeling of weight or over fullness of the stomach. Sold everywhere.

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Eleven months for business, for money-making, for absorbing work. Take August for becoming well and strong.

Get back to your proper weight; relieve the tired nerves of their irritability; fill the body with ruddy, vigorous, serviceable blood. You will work to twice the purpose with a clear head and a body undisturbed by aches and pains.

Give Paine's celery compound a fair trial in August.

Weakness and lack of strength is a matter of the nerves and brain. It is the exhaustion of the nerve centers that produces the feeling of lassitude and depression.

Digestion and assimilation are the first to become affected by diminished nerve power, and as these functions are so closely connected to every part of the body the entire system shares in their disorder. Men and women about middle age take little exercise, their blood becomes slow and impure and their important organs sluggish, while a constantly increasing load of anxiety and care keeps their nerves from being properly nourished. Such persons will find a steady gain in health, in vigor and good spirits from Paine's celery compound taken steadily through the month of August.

The reason for the high regard in which Paine's celery compound is held by physicians for building up the weak, the sickly and the nervous, is because all its ingredients are known to medical men to feed the nerves and to provide pure and rich blood for all the weak parts of the body. Every trace of nervous exhaustion disappears when the nerves that govern the functions of the body are thus abundantly supplied with their appropriate food.

The disturbances of the nervous system, whether neuralgia, rheumatism, debility, extreme nervousness or heart trouble, are due to derangements in nutrition. Hence, the sense of weight on top of the head, a feeling of constriction about the forehead; these are very significant symptoms and should be heeded. Better and more complete nutrition is demanded for the nerves and brain. Thin, pale faces, wasted frames, unhealthy skin and low spirits tell unmistakably of blood too thin and poor to properly nourish the body.

Paine's celery compound brings an increased, natural appetite, assists the assimilation of the food and quiets and restores a healthy nervous action.

**Tunkhannock.**

The funeral of Sherman D. Stevens, late proprietor of the Stevens' House, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 1:30. Tunkhannock lodge, No. 254, Knights of Pythias, will have charge of the exercises.

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